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Application No. 10/790,108-Conf. #1153	Filing Date March 2, 2004	Examiner M. Nelson	Art Unit 3636	
Applicant(s): Keiji Furukawa				
Invention: AUTOMOBILE SEAT BELT STRUCTURE AND ASSIST APPARATUS THEREOF				
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.				
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 17, 2004 (Paper No. 091504), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.